

WEAVER TAKES HIS OATH TODAY

Newly Appointed D. C.
Fuel Administrator Is 51
a Year Man.

John L. Weaver, prominent local real estate broker, will be formally sworn in this morning as Fuel Administrator of the District of Columbia.

At the office building of the United States Fuel Administration, Weaver will take the oath. There will be no formal statements of future policy, and in Weaver's own words, "just like any government clerk."

There has, since Weaver's appointment by the President, been many questions as to the policy and the prospective work of the future administrator. Perhaps Weaver, himself, is in almost as much doubt about that part of it as the public. The one paramount thought in the mind of the public is what will be the price of coal, as fixed by the future administrator? This is also the principal thought of Weaver. And in addition to conducting his brokerage business Weaver is directing all his energies to this part of his new job.

When interviewed yesterday afternoon Weaver could not speak definitely as to the number of committees that he will appoint to be under

his jurisdiction. It is stated on good authority, however, and also inferred from Weaver that there will be three advisory committees.

These committees will probably consist of a body to investigate, decide upon, and advise Weaver as to the future price of coal to be fixed in the District as compared with other cities of the United States.

A second committee will conduct and co-operate with Dr. Harry A. Gardner, of the National Fuel Administration, in regard to the shipment of coal into Washington.

The other question that is confronting Weaver—that of getting the coal from the mines to ship to Washington—will be investigated and worked out by the third and last committee of Mr. Weaver's staff.

RESTAURANT EXPERTS JOIN HOOVER STAFF

Paul B. Boden, vice president and general manager of the Hotel Manhattan, New York City, and William Childs, Jr., president of the Childs restaurants, have joined the staff of the Food Administration and will work with John McE. Bowman, chief of the division of hotels and restaurants.

Mr. Boden has had long experience as a hotel manager in several American cities, and has been connected with the Hotel Manhattan for more than twenty years. He will spend most of his time in Washington as expert hotel adviser. Mr. Childs, who is a restaurant expert of the first order, will serve in like capacity for restaurant regulation.

Many Massachusetts hotels have adopted the two mealless days a week plan, on Tuesday and Friday, and two mealless days, Wednesday and Thursday.

Practically all the major hotels in Washington have sent in their pledge cards to the Food Administration during the past week.

HEAT AT CAMPS NOW SUPPLIED

Thousands of Stoves Are
Installed Till Plants
Are Completed.

Every one of the sixteen national army cantonments will have complete heating apparatus by November 1, according to a statement issued by the War Department yesterday. The statement was made by Brig. Gen. Isaac W. Littell, in charge of cantonment construction, with the approval of Secretary Baker.

It was in response to charges from several quarters that the health of selective men was being imperiled by inadequate heating arrangements at the camps. From Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., especially came severe charges. It was stated that the New England winter was already setting in, that thousands of men were exposed in flimsy barracks and that the heating plant could not be completed much before Christmas and even then would not operate effectively as the plan called for overhead steam pipes, running from building to building and that fully 35 per cent of the heat would be lost in the cold outside air.

Gen. Littell's statement declares that four camps—those at Ayer, Battle Creek, Mich.; Rockford, Ill., and Fort Riley, Kans., are to be steam heated throughout. Some delay has occurred, he declares, in the installation of the steam heating facilities, mainly because of labor shortage and delay in shipments of materials. To prevent hardships the construction chiefs at the camps have been directed to in-

stall wood burning stoves in all the principal buildings and this has been done. Only the sleeping quarters are without such stoves.

Hot-Air Furnaces.
The twelve other camps will be heated by large hot-air furnaces, with the exception of the hospitals and officers' quarters, which will have steam heat.

Defending the steam-heating system, Gen. Littell says it is the same as used in many industrial plants whose units are widely scattered and that the question of loss of heat depends entirely upon insulation of the pipes. Either underground or overhead heat would be lost through improper insulation, he asserts, and construction chiefs have been ordered to use every precaution to see that perfect insulation is installed.

Citing the present situation in the four "north pole" camps, Gen. Littell declares there is every prospect of the heat plant at Camp Devens being completed by November 1, 220 steam-fitters and 220 helpers now being at work there, and partial service already being available. Meanwhile 200 stoves have been installed.

Many Stoves Ordered.
At Camp Custer, Battle Creek, nine of the fifteen steam plants are already completed and 200 stoves have been installed pending the completion of the other six steam plants, which should be ready by November 1. Another 200 stoves have been ordered, and 1,000 additional stoves have been granted for the camps.

At Camp Grant, Rockford, the steam will be on by October 23. Twelve of fifteen plants have been completed.

Camp Funston, Fort Riley, is in the worst shape. Only three steam plants out of the eighteen being constructed have been completed. Any number of stoves necessary will be supplied, however, pending the completion of the furnaces.

NEGRO STUDY CLUB WORK IS OUTLINED

Speakers Advise Race to Show
Courage in Industry.

"Commercial Business Opportunities" was the subject of an address delivered by Dr. C. J. Woodson, before the colored Commercial Study Club of the District last night at the Y. M. C. A. Building in Twelfth street, before a large audience.

Dr. Woodson told of the opportunities that presented themselves in the commercial world for colored citizens, provided they first realized that the white man was the best friend that the colored race had, and also that courage and perseverance were the only means of success. He also cautioned his audience that before the colored race could expect to take its place in the commercial world alongside the white, it must be able to produce as good results.

C. F. McFarland also spoke along similar lines.

Robert Queen, chairman of the domestic committee, made an interesting report regarding the establishment of a steam laundry in the District, this being the first business enterprise to be actually undertaken under the direct supervision of the club.

Camp Meade Sidelights

That boy Tommy Theodore will make a swell soldier when he learns to take this military life seriously. He is the company comedian and he digs out the smiles for his comrades by antics that would earn him a good living on the stage. When he buckles right down to good hard work, he is sure to be in line for promotion, for he is exceedingly popular with the men.

Walter Moore, of Company A, was sergeant of the guard and served twenty-four hours without any relief. Moore is as hard as nails and the brief army routine has put him in tip top shape, but twenty-four hours' continuous duty made him a trifle sleepy. He is one of the strong units in the football team that hopes to win the division championship.

Sol Brown used to collect real estate advertising for the Washington Post. Now he is interested in learning the school of the soldier and the school of the squad. Furthermore he is an apt pupil and one of the score who are aspiring for promotions in Company C.

When talking about doing your bit, don't overlook W. R. Bridges, who supervises the "eats" in Company C. He comes from Washington, Pa., and his three sons are now in the infantry at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga. One is top sergeant, the other is duty sergeant and the third is an orderly. They comprise some of the "Bridges" that the Kaiser will not pass without fighting some.

There is plenty of furniture in the storerooms and the aides and the clerks in Washington homes that would come in mighty handy in the barracks. If you have any surplus furniture that would fit in conveniently in company headquarters, just notify the commanding officers at the camp or call up the Camp Meade correspondent of The Washington Herald and arrangements will be made for transporting it to the place where it will be very useful.

Private John Morrison grins his teeth when he is asleep just as though he was in a hand-to-hand conflict with some of the Boches. Frank Allen and some of the others who bunk in his neighborhood are trying to learn him how to snore.

There are beans and beans and still more beans. The boys from Washington have had every variety, but they say the beans today were the best that have yet been served. Followed up at supper with one, two, three and a splash, there was no cooking about the army menu today.

Edwin J. Freck, of Company C, is proud of his Charlie Chaplin. It's a cute little adornment, that group of black hairs that graces the upper lip of said Freck, but unless he lays awake every night he is liable to lose it, for some of the boys think he would make a better appearance at inspection with a smooth face.

George B. Clark claims the chess championship of the cantonment. He is perfectly safe in claiming it among the Washingtonians for only a few of them play the game. However, he wishes it understood he is ready to meet any and all challengers and his deft is hereby noted. Address Company C, 3125 Machine Gun Battalion, 2 Hollis for

William Ludke is learning to be a cook in Company B, and he is learning fast. Incidentally he gets a sergeant's pay and a promotion by his assignment. Having tasted the supper which Private Ludke served up to his colleagues tonight, the writer is of the opinion that Ludke will make some cook.

Now that the officers can play football on the same team with the men, Lieut. Jordan is expected to do his bit to carry the 312th standard to the division championship. The lieutenant is there on the gridiron game and with top Sergeant Dowd should form a combination that will "pep" up the boys in their future matches.

LANSBURGH & BRO'S 57th ANNIVERSARY SALE

57th Anniversary Sale
Up to \$3.50 Lace Curtains, Pair, \$1.55

Editorial
Our buyer of linens has been pestering the life out of us for an editorial about his Linen Department in its new location. But you can't blame him, for he really has one of the prettiest departments you ever saw. The Linen Department is now located at the 8th street entrance to the store—right under the balcony.

It is extremely well lighted, and there are good wide aisles between the numerous tables, so that there is no crowding in getting about.

There is an extremely good assortment of table linens, etc., considering the scarcity of flax. It's true there are several substitutes, but they are so pretty that no one objects to them.

We would invite you to pay this new Linen Department a visit. Now, Mr. Linen Buyer, we've done our duty.



Many Other Specials
Not Listed Here.

Fine quality Scotch Lace Curtains in a madras weave, 2 1/2 to 3 yards long. Your choice of white, cream or ecru. Also masquette curtains, finished with lined lace edge and hemstitched border.

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Corduroy Suits at **\$5.55**

made with two pairs of full cut pants; pinch-back style, with three-piece belt and patch pockets; come in dark mouse color; sizes 6 to 17 years.

Boys' Suits, \$4.98, \$5.98 and \$6.98.

Boys' One and Two Pants Suits, in pinch-back fancy pleated trench and plain-back models. They are made of fancy cassimeres, chevrons, mixtures, homespuns, tweeds, etc. Sizes 6 to 18 years.



Beautiful Mackinaws **\$5.98**

made of heavy all-wool materials, in stripes, plaids and cross-bar effects; all the latest color combinations; shawl or convertible collars; sizes 7 to 18 years. Other mackinaws up to \$8.98.

Overcoats for Little Boys, \$4.98 to \$12.50.

made of all-wool materials in brown, gray and fancy mixtures, including homespuns, chevrons and basket weaves; also blue and gray chinchillas; close neck or convertible collar; pinch or pleated backs; sizes 4 1/2 to 10 years.

57th Anniversary
New Crepe de Chine Blouses, \$3.50

Blouses of good quality crepe de chine in tailored models. Also Georgette Blouses with lace-trimmed frills, in white or flesh. Special at \$3.50.

Blouses of fine quality Georgette crepe in handsome dress effects. Some are beaded and embroidered; others have frills and laces. Special at \$5.75.
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Untrimmed Hats, 95c

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HAND-BLOCKED HATS

We also call your attention to some Hand-blocked Hats of hatter's plush, Lyon's velvet and silk beaver and velvet combined. Special at \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$5. Large assortment of Trimmings.

HATS TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE.

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Serge Dresses for Juniors

Sizes 12, 14, and 16

All-wool Navy Blue Serge Dresses, in full pleated skirt and short waist line models. Have embroidered girdle, silk collar and cuffs and large pearl buttons. Sizes 12, 14, and 16 years. At **\$9.95**.

All-wool Serge Dresses at **\$7.95 Each.**

All-wool Serge Skirts at **\$5.00 Each.**

Misses' All-wool Serge Skirts, in navy blue only; come in pleated models; also a large assortment of plaids; lengths 24 to 34 inches. At **\$5.00.**
Third Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

57th Anniversary Sale
Women's Suits, \$18.80 up

Sizes for Both Women and Misses

Don't miss this chance. War is going to make wool fabrics dearer with each week that passes, and it stands to reason that you probably can't get suits of such high quality at these prices later in the season. They're cut on such good lines. Always the straight effects—or the flared effects. Also many plaits.

The materials are excellent—closely woven, heavy and firm. And the trimmings range from buttons to the highest class fur.

Suits worth coming a long way for at \$18.80 up.
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Flannelette Night Robes that come in white or pink and blue stripes. High, V or surplice neck styles. At 79c.

Night Robes of Murlin 79c

Night Robes made of good quality murlin, in high and V neck styles, with embroidery insertion and edges. Special at 79c.

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One pound of 35c Cacao Coffee with this aluminum office Percolator 5-cup size, worth \$4.00 elsewhere; all for \$1.49

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